

## Mourning Millinery



By JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

TWO lovely examples of mourning hats are pictured here made of the two materials most favored for mourning wear, crape and silk grenadine. The hat of English crape, shown in Fig. 1, is a perfect example of the milliner's art using this exquisite material as a means of expression. The entire hat is covered with crape, the brim made of narrow parallel folds. The crown has wide folds for its covering also a drapery of crape with a large buckle of dull jet, serve as a mounting for the pompon of down feathers and aligrette mounted at the left side.

In shape, this hat is graceful and of a kind that will not soon be out of style. Such shapes should be selected for mourning, as good mourning fabrics are very durable and will outlast the accepted periods of mourning, it will be selected. English crape should be chosen, as it is manufactured to withstand moisture which is ruinous to crape not protected against it. In this particular fabric, the English excel all other manufacturers and the great modistes who specially design mourning use this crape. It is the most beautiful of the fabrics used for mourning.

Silk grenadine is equally popular, although not universally recognized as first mourning. There is much latitude in the selection of fabrics, however, and many persons prefer grenadine to any other. The hat and veil shown in Fig. 2 are of this beautiful fabric. It is also of English manufacture, although the English send to various parts of the world—including America—for the materials necessary to make and dye both crape and grenadine. This material is manufactured waterproof. This is very necessary in order that the rain or snow may not spot the grenadine. One can easily test the material by immersing it in water. If properly made the dye will not run and the fabric will remain unchanged. Crape should be subjected to the same test. The crimp is not affected by water and its color remains unchanged.

### VISITING DRESS.



This elegant dress is carried out in champagne suede cloth, and is a fitting princess, tucked under the arms. A band of braided cloth trims the lower edge of princess where the material is slightly draped, below this the skirt part is plaited, the plait being stitched down a few inches. A handsome braiding design surrounds the

yoke of tucked silk, which is also trimmed with braid and small buttons. The sleeve is long, tight-fitting, and trimmed to match.

Hat of black beaver, trimmed with a feather mount.

Materials required: 6 1/2 yards cloth 48 inches wide, 4 dozen yards braid, 1/2 yard tucked silk.

### NOW THE ROBIN HOOD HAT

Style That Divides Favor with What is Known as the Prairie, of Felt and Suede.

Millinery is one of the most important features in the toilette of the woman who wishes to be well dressed, and to-day the cut of the plain hat is as carefully considered as the elaborate, the subject being as inexhaustible as the budget itself. The craze for beaver still continues, but it is safe to predict that as the winter approaches black will lead the van, adorned with cinnamon and royal blue ostrich plumes for visiting and velvet for morning wear. The Robin Hood hat is the latest shape to make its debut carried out in this charming material. As will be remembered, the hat worn by the famous outlaw of this name was turned up on one side, had rather a high crown, and was trimmed with two long quill-like feathers. The smart mondaine, although retaining the shape, has substituted a rosette of tinsel and a tuft of breast plumage for the feathers. For travelling it will divide honors with the prairie hat, which is fashioned of felt and relieved with a band of suede of a contrasting shade.—From the Tatler.

Gobelin Green Again. The hats of this winter will again show that entrancing shade of green known as gobelin. It will be used in thick, short plumes and thick long ones, but not in ribbons or moire.

Twenty-Inch Rope of Pearls. The fashion in length for a string of pearls has changed. It was once 14 inches, then 16; now the correct string must measure 20 inches.

### TO BE A SEASON OF SERGE

Every Kind of This Material is in Favor, But the Wide Wale is Best Liked.

There will be a run upon serge this winter. It has always been a stock material. This year the wale is utterly unlike anything we have had. There were a few patterns of it last winter, to be accurate, but this year there are a great number, a bit rougher than before.

The women who read that serge is in fashion, and then buys the kind that she used to wear, the kind that men's suits are made of, has thrown away money. The wale of this year is the wide wale kind, the wider the better. The cord in the new serge is heavy and rough, and the marking has a good deal of character about it.

Fur to Match Gown. Among the fads this season is that of dyeing the fur to match one's gown. It would make a biologist shudder to see the colors the skins of some animals are made to assume.

## MISSOURI NEWS

**To Hurry Railroad Suits.**  
Jefferson City.—Attorney General Major is in receipt of a letter from the clerk of the United States supreme court informing him, the transcript in the appeal of the state from the decision of Judge Smith McPherson of the federal court at Kansas City in the 2-cent passenger fare and the maximum freight rate cases will be ready for use by the attorneys in the suits before the holidays.

**Carthage Has No Water.**  
Carthage.—As the result of action taken by the Carthage Water company on permission granted by Federal Judge Phillips, in Kansas City, the city of Carthage is without water. The pumping plant that has been supplying water for the past twenty-seven years is being dismantled. The municipal works now in process of construction will not be completed until next April.

**Horticulturists Elect Hitt.**  
Columbia.—R. M. Hitt, a peach grower at Koshkonong, Mo., was elected president of the Missouri State Horticultural board here. He succeeds W. P. Stark of Louisiana, Mo. Other officers elected were: First vice-president, T. C. Wilson, St. Louis; second vice-president, D. A. Turner, South St. Joseph, Mo.; treasurer, W. T. Flournoy, Marionville, Mo.

**Greatest Corn Crop.**  
Columbia.—Missouri has this year produced the most valuable corn crop in her history, not excepting the record-breaking crop of 1902, estimated at \$307,364,000 bushels and worth at the prices then prevailing \$97,039,000. The value of the present crop reaches \$114,844,044—an average of one million dollars' worth of corn for each county in the state.

**Training School Officers Named.**  
Boonville.—Edgar Ward, who has been acting as parole officer of the Missouri Training School, was made assistant superintendent in the place of Major Davis, who has been connected with the school for many years. John S. Matthews, the stenographer, was appointed secretary, the place vacated by W. R. Baker's resignation.

**Missouri Banks Are Strong.**  
Washington.—One hundred and six national banks in Missouri, including all those which are not government reserve banks, had individual deposits aggregating \$27,192,627 at the close of business November 30. Individual deposits in these same banks on September 1 amounted to \$26,521,491.

**To Pay Spanish War Veterans.**  
Jefferson City.—The first installment of money due the Missouri Volunteers of the Spanish-American war will be received in a few days from the United States government. This claim covers only the services of Light Battery A, of St. Louis, and amounts to \$1,672.79.

**Engineer Fatally Hurt in Wreck.**  
Pierce City.—Engineer Tom Callicott of Monett was fatally injured and three others were seriously hurt in a head-on collision of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad here when a westbound passenger train and a local freight met in the yards, just east of the depot.

**To Ask Taft to Pardon Shipp.**  
Springfield.—At a meeting of Campbell Camp, United Confederate Veterans, Adj. J. Elliott was authorized to petition President Taft for the pardon of Joseph F. Shipp, the Chattanooga, Tenn., sheriff who was sentenced to serve ninety days in the federal prison for contempt of court.

**Two Physicians' Licenses Suspended.**  
Jefferson City.—The state board of health suspended the license to practice of Dr. Bernadino Tripa Rio, of Kansas City, for 50 years, on the ground that he had no license in this state, and that of Dr. J. Frank Gullio, of Koshkonong, for one year.

**Gets Stolen Ring by Mail.**  
Hannibal.—A costly diamond ring stolen from the home of Mrs. W. F. Minor in this city a little over two years ago was returned to its owner through the mail. It was mailed in Hannibal.

**Boy Hunter Fatally Shot.**  
Montgomery.—Alonzo Lone, 14 years old, living near Mokane, Callaway county, was fatally shot by the accidental discharge of a shotgun while out hunting.

**Forger Is Given Two Years.**  
Hartsville.—John Roberts, aged 25 years, pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery at the adjourned term of the circuit court of Wright county here and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

**Telephone Inquiry December 20.**  
Jefferson City.—It was practically agreed between Attorney General Major and the special examiner to take the testimony in the telephone merger hearing, to begin the hearing here, December 20.

**Farmer and Son Drown.**  
Higbee.—News reached here of the drowning near Hildale, Howard county, of John M. Ritt, 40 years old, and his adopted son, 12 years old, while they were crossing Salt creek in a buggy.

**Bates County Democrats Meet.**  
Butler.—The Democratic central committee of Bates county met here and selected December 18 for township meetings and December 20 to select delegates to the congressional convention, which meets here December 21.

**Anti-Cigarette Solon Weds.**  
Montgomery.—E. P. Roseberger, state representative from this county, was married to Miss Lucile Dowell, daughter of State Senator E. A. De Witt, of the twelfth senatorial district.

## SOUNDS LIKE A FAIRY TALE

THE FARMERS OF CENTRAL CANADA REAP WHEAT AND RICHES.

Up in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the provinces that compose Central Canada have such a quantity of land suitable for the growth of small grains, which grow so abundantly, and yield so handsomely that no fear need be feared of a wheat famine on this Continent. The story reproduced below is only one of the hundreds of proofs that could be produced to show the results that may be obtained from cultivation of the lands in these provinces. Almost any section of the country will do as well.

With the country recently opened by the Grand Trunk Pacific, the latest of the great transcontinental lines to enter the field of the development of the Canadian West, there is afforded added ample opportunity to do as was done in the case cited below:

To buy a section of land, break it up and crop it, make \$17,550 out of the yield and \$10,880 out of the increase of value all within the short period of two years, was the record established by James Bailey, a well known farmer within a few miles of Regina. Mr. Bailey bought the 640 acres of land near Grand Coulee two years ago. He immediately prepared the whole section for crop and this year has 600 acres of wheat and 40 acres of oats. The wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, and the oats yielded 4,750 bushels. The whole of the grain has been marketed and Mr. Bailey is now worth \$17,550 from the grain alone. He bought the land at \$18 an acre, and the other day refused an offer of \$35 an acre, just a \$17 advance for the time of his purchase. The land cost \$11,320 in the first instance. Here are the figures of the case.—Land cost, 640 acres, at \$18, \$11,320. Wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, at 84 cents a bushel, \$16,695. Oats yielded 4,750 bushels at 28 cents a bushel, \$855. Offered for land, 640 acres at \$35 an acre, \$22,400. Increase value of land, \$10,880. Total earnings of crop, \$17,550, together with increase in value of land a total of \$28,540.

It is interesting to note the figures of the yield per acre. The wheat yielded 31 1/2 bushels to the acre, and oats 118.7 bushels to the acre. The figures are a fair indication of the average throughout the district.

Agents of the Canadian Government in the different cities will be pleased to give you information as to rates, etc.

**Detected.**  
The consul in London of a continental kingdom was informed by his government that one of his countrywomen, supposed to be living in Great Britain, had been left a million of money. After advertising without result, he applied to the police, and a smart young detective was set to work.

When a few weeks had gone by his chief asked him how he was going on. "I've found the lady, sir."

"Good! Where is she?"  
"At my place. I got married to her yesterday!"  
**Woman's Daring Deed.**  
In southern Tunis lies an extensive salt marsh desert called the Shott Jerid, of which the Arabs stand in terror, for many a caravan has been lost in the salt incrustated morass, which, according to De Lesseps is as much as 1,200 feet deep in places. This region has been crossed for the first time in a small automobile by a woman, Myriam Harry, a well-known French novelist.

**SAVE THIS RECIPE FOR COLDS.**  
"Mix half pint of good whiskey with two ounces of glycerine and add one-half ounce Concentrated pine compound. The bottle is to be well shaken each time and used in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours." Any druggist has these ingredients or he will get them from his wholesale house. The Concentrated pine is a special pine product and comes only in half ounce bottles, each enclosed in an air-tight case, but is sure it is labeled "Concentrated." This is one of the best and quickest remedies known to science.

**Not Up to Modern Standards.**  
"Your wife's new hat makes her look like a quill," said the man who tries to be complimentary.  
"Don't let her hear you say that," answered Mr. Bliggins; "I have looked through the histories and I never yet saw a picture of a queen who looked as if she enjoyed a first-class milliner."

**Anti LaGrippe Remedy.**  
It is now claimed by several western medical men that a whiskey mixture obtainable at any drug store is an absolute preventative and quick cure for bad colds and lagrippe. To make this powerful system tonic add one ounce of compound fluid balnear and two ounces of glycerine to a half-pint of good whiskey. Dose, a tablespoonful three to six times a day.

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## GOOD WORK IS LOVED WORK

And Therein One Should Find the Contentment That is Chief Part of Life.

If a man doesn't love his work, he had better get something else to do. But the trouble is that such people will hardly love any kind of work. The trouble is in them. They lack intelligence. If they knew enough to know good work, they would soon learn to love it. The manual-training scheme has this in view—to surround the job a man is doing with such intelligence and taste as will make it attractive to him.

"The man who is in love with his job gets more contentment out of life than any other," says Brander Matthews; and he gets a great part of his contentment in doing his work right. No man can love his work who shirks. No man can be contented who is dishonest about his work. This is shirking or doing it negligently. So these things always go together—honest work, contentment and love of the job.

**Resinol in Three Weeks Does What Other Remedies Failed to Do in Four Months.**

My baby's face was like a raw and bleeding piece of meat. I was at my wits' end what to do. Medicine from three physicians and ointments recommended seemed to make the Eczema worse. Then another mother spoke of Resinol which I procured at once—remember I had no more faith in it than in all the rest I had tried—but I thought it would be wasting only 50c more. Never did I spend 50c to better advantage, for the first and second days I noticed a remarkable change, and now at the end of the third week I have my pretty blue eyed, rosy cheeked, cooing baby well again. I am safe in saying he is perfectly cured and the cure was surely something remarkable. Your Soap and Ointment did in three weeks what everything else I tried failed to do in four months. My baby was positively disfigured, now his complexion is all right again.

Mrs. H. F. Clemmer, Sunbury, Pa.

**Fishing Extraordinary.**  
Representative Flood of Virginia tells a good story in which one of the characters was Gen. Reuben Lindsay Walker of the confederate army. On one occasion the general was waiting for his breakfast, and his faithful negro servant had gone to catch some fish for the feast. When the servant was away an unusually long time the general called to him impatiently:

"Why don't you come here with that fish, Sam?"  
Sam in the meantime had caught a flounder, which is white on one side, with a whiteness that looks like raw fish meat.

"All right, Massa Reuben!" called out Sam. "Iee comin' des ez soon ez I ketch de uvver ha'f o' dis here fish."

—Washington Times.

**The Vacant Chair.**  
What sad memories linger around the old vacant chair. Sitting in the middle of the floor, with a plaintive look about its frayed and seemingly weary back, it brings back a tumultuous riot of sad recollections that time can never efface. Volumes of bitter anguish come to me when I arrive home in time to catch the milkman swiping the loose furniture around the place, and take off my shoes to avoid publicity, and strike my best toe against the rocker of the old vacant chair. Then, forgetting for the moment my unclean feet, I kick the chair on the other rocker. That is when the sadness and suffering that lingers around the old chair comes out with an extra edition and great chunks of gloom settle over me like a herd of ill-natured flies.—Oregon Journal.

**Taking the Tips.**  
"Why did Dollardy sell his hotel?"  
"He wasn't making money fast enough."  
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## OFF DUTY.



Miss Smith—Oh, doctor, do you know you look perfectly killing this evening?  
Doctor—Thank you, but I am not. I'm off duty, you know.

**Duty Society Owes to Unfortunates.**  
Consumption is primarily a poor man's disease. Dr. Woods Hutchinson of New York city says: "Roughly speaking, the incipient tuberculosis patient can buy as many chances of fresh air and cure as he has money."

The percentage of deaths from consumption among the poor is 100 per cent, higher than among the well-to-do and the rich. Sixty-five per cent. of the consumptives in the United States are too poor to provide proper means for treatment. They must either be placed in a sanitarium or a hospital where they can be cured of their disease and where they will be removed from the possibility of infecting other members of their families, or the loss resulting from neglect to care for these poor consumptives will be twice or three times as great as would be the case if they are properly housed in institutions."

**Slow Recovery.**  
"Is the editor out?" asked a visitor to the office of the Ridgeway Banner.  
"Yes, sir," answered the editor's small assistant. "He's gone out to put away a jug of lickor by a subscriber."  
"Do you think it will take him long to put it away?"  
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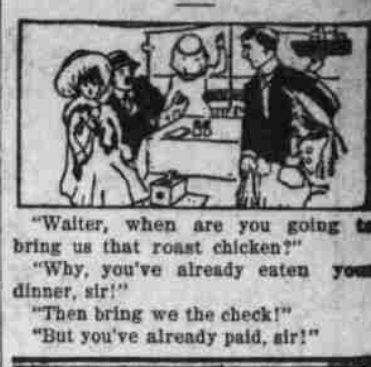
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## THEIR WEDDING JOURNEY.



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"Then bring me the check!"  
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